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Attention Lieutenant Berry

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Attached are Ruby's fingerprints, his picture, and a background of personal history given to us by him. It is requested that a check of your files be made to ascertain if he has any type of arrests and if his name appears in your subversive files.

In the event Jack Rubenstein is identified, it would be of vital importance to us if it could be determined if he is the same Jack Rubenstein as appears in the records of the Special Committee on Un-American Activities, Appendix Part I, 1940, on pages 919, 920, 921, and 922.

I appreciate your cooperation and want to assure you of our future cooperation in matters of mutual interest.

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